

**Embassy of India - Abu Dhabi**

**A) List of items Restricted (These items require import permit for their importation into UAE)**

<b>Goods Categories</b>	<b>Items</b>	<b>Controlling Authorities</b>	<b>Link to the website</b>
Live animals, plants, fertilizers, insecticides, veterinary equipment & supplies	Permits required to import Pets (Cats/Dogs), Live Animals, Veterinary vaccines and serum, Diagnostic materials, veterinary equipment and supplies, Birds, Ornamental Fish Plants, Animal Products Or Wastes, Semen, Embryos, Honey Bees, Agricultural reformation products, saplings and seedlings, Fish Feed, Brood stock, Larvae, Live Fish, , Aquaculture Equipment, Pesticides, organic and chemical fertilizers, Species listed under CITES	Ministry Of Climate Change & Environment	<a href="https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities">https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities</a>  <a href="https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/ProhibitedandRestrictedGoods.aspx">https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/ProhibitedandRestrictedGoods.aspx</a>  <a href="https://www.moccae.gov.ae/">https://www.moccae.gov.ae/</a> (Controlling Authority)
Defence & Armed Forces related product parts and accessories, ammunitions, explosives, and fireworks	Explosives, Arms, Ammunition's, Their parts and accessories, Fireworks, Hazardous materials	Ministry Of Defence / Armed Forces / Ministry of Interior	<a href="https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities">https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities</a>  <a href="https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/ProhibitedandRestrictedGoods.aspx">https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/ProhibitedandRestrictedGoods.aspx</a>
Pharmaceutical products and Medical/ Surgical instruments and machines	Narcotic Drugs, Controlled or Semi-Controlled Medicines or Veterinary Medicines, Medical and Diagnostic Equipment, Laboratory or Dental Materials, Innovative Medical Products for Displaying Exhibitions (Temporary Imports), Raw Materials for use in Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Processes, Precursor Chemicals.	Ministry Of Health & Prevention	<a href="https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities">https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities</a>  <a href="https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/">https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/</a>  <a href="https://www.mohap.gov.ae/">https://www.mohap.gov.ae/</a> (Controlling Authority)
Print materials, publications, and media products	Holy Quran copies, books, magazines, publications, bulletins, media programs and materials, all kinds of recorded materials whether printed on paper or on other materials or in the form of discs, tapes or others, Photography products, films, movie films, and chemicals used in photography, Audio recording and transmitting equipment, audio and video recording and transmitting	National Media Council	<a href="https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities">https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities</a>  <a href="https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/">https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/</a>

	equipment, their spare parts and supplies.		
Nuclear energy-related products	Radio chemical elements, radioisotopes including those which are fissionable and radioactive materials and isotopes for medical use, Electric transformers with capacity exceeding 500 KVA, Thermal alternators, Nuclear reactors, boilers, automatic tools and equipment with their spare parts.	Federal Authority for Nuclear Regulation	<a href="https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities">https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities</a> <a href="https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/">https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/</a> <a href="https://fanr.gov.ae/">https://fanr.gov.ae/</a> (Controlling Authority)
Alcoholic products	Beer made from malt, Wine of fresh grapes, including fortified wines; grape must other than that of heading, Vermouth and other wine of fresh grapes flavored with plants or aromatic substances, Other fermented beverages (for example, cider, Perry, mead, sake); mixtures of fermented beverages and mixtures of fermented beverages and non-alcoholic beverages, not elsewhere specified or included and Spirits, liqueurs and other spirituous beverages.	Department of Culture and Tourism (Abu Dhabi) / Dubai Police (Dubai)	<a href="https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities">https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities</a> <a href="https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/">https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/</a> <a href="https://dct.gov.ae/en/media.centre/circulars.aspx">https://dct.gov.ae/en/media.centre/circulars.aspx</a> (Controlling Authority)
Automatic tools, lubricants, drones, Cigarettes, tires, Cosmetics	Automatic tools for metals, ceramics, porcelain and others, Diesel, fuel, lubricants, paints and polish, Dummies, balloons, cycles, drones, Cigarettes and tobacco, Electronic cigarettes and shisha, Vehicles, New tires, Cosmetics or skin, mouth and teeth care products and equipment other than drugs, Household electric appliances, electric circuit breakers connecting, breaking, protecting or dividing equipment, electric cable, wires and telephone.	Ministry of Industry and Advanced Technology (MoIAT)	<a href="https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities">https://www.adcustoms.gov.ae/Restricted-Banned-Commodities</a> <a href="https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/">https://www.dubaicustoms.gov.ae/en/mobile/Pages/</a> <a href="https://moiat.gov.ae/en/about-us/laws-and-legislation?page=2">https://moiat.gov.ae/en/about-us/laws-and-legislation?page=2</a> (Controlling Authority)
Transmitters and radio equipment	Wire and wireless communications equipment, radio and TV transmitters and receivers, radio and GPS navigation pilot equipment.	Telecommunications and Digital Government Regulatory Authority (TDRA)	<a href="https://tdra.gov.ae/en/">https://tdra.gov.ae/en/</a> (Controlling Authority)
Foodstuffs, personal care and cosmetic products	Foodstuffs, Personal Care items and Cosmetics	Dubai Municipality	<a href="https://www.dm.gov.ae/">https://www.dm.gov.ae/</a> (Controlling Authority)

Rough diamonds	Rough Diamonds	AI Kimberly Organization / Dubai Multi Commodities Center	<a href="https://www.kimberleyprocess.com/en/united-arab-emirates-0">https://www.kimberleyprocess.com/en/united-arab-emirates-0</a> (Controlling Authority)
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#### **B. List of Prohibited Items:**

- Counterfeit and fake currencies.
- Weeds, opium, heroine, morphine, cocaine, poppy and its skin and seeds, kat, cannabis (hemp) and other seeds with similar effects (all kinds of narcotics).
- Publications, photographic and oil painted pictures, paintings, cards, books, magazines and stone sculptures that are in violation of Islamic religion or public morals, or which are intended as pornography.
- Three-layer nylon fishing nets.
- Gambling tools and machines.
- Goods imported from boycotted countries.
- Ozone layer depleting materials and Radioactive-contaminated materials.
- Asbestos boards and pipes.
- Laser pens with red flash light beams.
- Hazardous waste.
- Neswar, Ben tree leaves, Paan and betel leaves.
- Used and renovated types.
- Any other goods or items, the importation of which is prohibited under the Common Customs Law or any other law or regulation applicable in the UAE.

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